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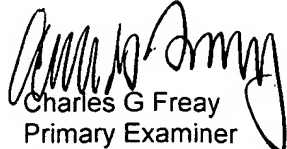
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The reply filed on October 27, 2006 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the amendment fails to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121 because a listing of all the claims is not present. The listing of the claims provided with the amendment begins at claim 13 (see below for a suggestion as to the correct form). Also, the examiner notes that arguments addressing the rejections set forth in the office action of August 3, 2006 and specifically pointing out how the newly presented claims define over the prior art have not been provided. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The examiner suggest beginning the listing of the claims as follows:

"Claims 1-12.(Canceled).

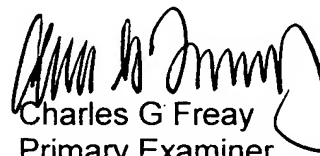
Claim 13 (New).

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Charles G. Freay whose telephone number is 571-272-4827. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Friday 8:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M..

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Ehud Gartenberg can be reached on 571-272-4828. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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